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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Sandberg, Murray G., et al.
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Group Art Unit: 1745
Examiner: Martin, Angela J.
Filed: October 23, 2001
For: COMPACT LITHIUM ION BATTERY AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING
Docket No.: DP-300259

Response to Office Action

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the communication from the Examiner of July 16, 2004 please amend the specification and claims as follows and consider the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.